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1. TITLE Scientific and Technical Reports	2. IDENTIFICATION NUMBER DI-MISC-80711A (T)
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3. DESCRIPTION/PURPOSE
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7. APPLICATION/INTERRELATIONSHIP
7.1 This DID contains the format requirements and preparation instructions for the information product generated by the specific and discrete task requirement as delineated in the contract.
7.2 This DID is applicable to the elements, organization and design of technical publications.
7.3 This DID supersedes UDI-S-23272C, DI-S-4057, DI-S-3591A, and DI-MISC-80711.
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